

## The Federal Election Commission Washington, DC 20463

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**RE:** MUR 5655

Congressman Richard G. Renzi Patriot Insurance Agency, Inc., f/k/a

Renzi & Co., Inc.

Fountain Realty & Development, Inc., a/k/a/

Fountain Hills Realty and Developments, Inc., f/k/a

Renzi Investments, Inc.

Rick Renzi for Congress and Nancy H. Watkins, in

her official capacity as treasurer

## Dear Mr. Willard:

On May 3, 2005, the Federal Election Commission found reason to believe that your clients, Congressman Richard Renzi, Patriot Insurance Agency, Inc., f/k/a Renzi & Co., Inc. ("Renzi & Co."), Fountain Realty & Development, Inc., a/k/a/ Fountain Hills Realty and Development, Inc., f/k/a Renzi Investments, Inc. ("Renzi Investments") and Rick Renzi for Congress and its treasurer, in his official capacity ("the Committee"), violated 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a) with respect to corporate contributions allegedly made by Congressman Renzi to the Committee, and authorized an investigation into this matter. On the same day, the Commission found reason to believe that the Committee violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 434(b)(1), (2), and (4), 434(b)(2)(F) and 11 C.F.R. § 102.17(c)(8)(i)(B, several reporting requirements.

After reviewing the evidence gathered during the course of the investigation with respect to the alleged corporate contributions, the Commission determined on August 4, 2006 to take no further action as to Congressman Renzi, Renzi & Co. and Renzi Investments, and closed its file as to them.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 202-694-1598.

Sincerely,

Ruth Heiliz